

## Office of the Secretary of Defense

## § 366.4

### § 366.1 Purpose.

This part is revised pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Defense under 10 U.S.C.:

(a) Designates one of the positions of Assistant Secretary of Defense as the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Program Analysis and Evaluation) (ASD(PA&E)).

(b) Assigns responsibilities, functions, relationships, and authorities, as prescribed herein, to the ASD(PA&E).

### § 366.2 Definition.

*DoD Components.* The Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD), the Military Departments, the Joint Chiefs of Staff (JCS), the Joint Staff, the Unified and Specified Commands, the Defense Agencies, and the DoD Field Activities.

### § 366.3 Responsibilities.

*The Assistant Secretary of Defense (Program Analysis and Evaluation) (ASD(PA&E)),* as the principal staff assistant to the Secretary of Defense for DoD program analysis and evaluation, shall:

(a) Provide advice, make recommendations, and participate in the development of policies and the preparation of planning, fiscal, and materiel support guidance upon which DoD program projections are based.

(b) Perform analyses and evaluations of plans, programs, and budget submissions in relation to projected threats, allied contributions, estimated costs, resource constraints, and U.S. defense objectives and priorities.

(c) Identify issues and evaluate alternative programs.

(d) Initiate programs, actions, and taskings to ensure adherence to DoD policies and national security objectives, and ensure that programs are designed to accommodate operational requirements and promote the readiness and efficiency of the U.S. Armed Forces.

(e) Review, analyze, and evaluate programs, including classified programs, for carrying out approved policies and standards.

(f) Ensure that the costs of DoD programs, including classified programs, are presented accurately and completely.

(g) Assess the effects of DoD spending on the U.S. economy, and evaluate alternative policies to ensure that the DoD program can be implemented efficiently.

(h) Provide leadership in developing and promoting improved analytic tools and methods for analyzing national security planning and the allocation of resources.

(i) Serve on boards, committees, and other groups pertaining to the ASD(PA&E)'s functional areas, and represent the Secretary of Defense on PA&E matters outside the Department of Defense.

(j) Perform such other duties as the Secretary of Defense may assign.

### § 366.4 Functions.

In executing assigned responsibilities, the ASD(PA&E) shall:

(a) Carry out the responsibilities described in § 366.3 for the following functional areas:

(1) General purpose force structure, both active and reserve.

(2) Strategic and theater nuclear force structure.

(3) Mobility force structure and prepositioning plans.

(4) Force readiness and capabilities.

(5) Weapon systems and major items of materiel.

(6) Implications for manpower resources of specific force structure plans.

(7) Support systems.

(8) Contingency plans.

(9) Materiel support programs and war reserve stocks.

(10) Deployment plans and overseas basing requirements.

(11) Mobilization plans.

(12) Effects of the DoD program on the economy and the industrial base.

(13) Security assistance programs.

(14) Allied and foreign military requirements and capabilities.

(15) Nuclear warhead requirements.

(16) Such other areas as the Secretary of Defense may from time to time prescribe.

(b) In coordination with the Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition), perform critical reviews of requirements, performance, and life-cycle costs of current and proposed weapon systems,